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# 2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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### House District 14, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	189		
Land in farms (acres)	16,348		
Average size of farm (acres)	86		
Irrigated Acres	11		
Total Number of Farm Operators	279		
Market Value of Production (dollars)	1,686,000		
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	8,920		
Government Payments (dollars)	26,000		
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	940		
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	57,000		
FARMS BY SIZE			
1-9 Acres/Farm	16		
10-49 Acres/Farm	69		
50-179 Acres/Farm	91		
180-499 Acres/Farm	10		
500-999 Acres/Farm	1		
1,000+ Acres/Farm	2		
LAND USE	_		
Farms with Cropland	183		
Farms with Woodland	122		
Farms with Other	116		
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	62		
	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)			
Total value of agricultural products sold	1,686	123	179
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/			
Grains and oilseeds	164	108	147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	65	129	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	41	114	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	420	126	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	(D)	(D)	132
Poultry and eggs	6	104	129
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Cattle and calves	275	97	146
Milk products	275 434	97 109	146 126
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## **House District 14, Pennsylvania (continued)**

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Cattle and calves	1,675	91	150
Layers 20 weeks old and older	603	96	137
Horses and ponies	326	90	153
Sheep and lambs	205	94	140
Hogs and pigs	165	99	128
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)	-		
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	4,001	88	158
Corn for grain	776	111	141
Oats	277	73	131
Corn for silage	240	103	134
Soybeans	165	105	124
FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES	-		
Less than \$1,000	81		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	31		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	28		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	13		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	6		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	3		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	1		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	-		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	2		
\$500,000 or more	-		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	3,700		
Average per farm (dollars)	14,016		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	-915		
Average per farm (dollars)	-3,468		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			,
Farming	90		
Other	99		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	166		
Female	23		
Average age of principal operator (years)	54		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	275		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	2		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	-		
More than one race	1		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin 4/	9		

#### (D) Cannot be disclosed.

- 1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.
- 2/ Universe is the number of house districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 203 house districts.
- 3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.
- 4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.
- 5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.